

Kinsella Kernels

A large crowd attended the Kinsella sports August 9, sponsored by Kinsella W. I. Prizes were won as follows: Softball between Badger and Kinsella schools. Won by Kinsella. Snetland pony race—Robt. McMurray, Kinsella. Ladies' half-mile race—Miss Inlin, Irma. Men's half-mile race—Mr. Inkin, Irma. Ladies' horse race—Mrs. E. Lancaster, Kinsella. Men's softball—Rodino, Kinsella. Riding competition—Mrs. E. Lancaster, Kinsella. Best decorated car—Mr. H. Kaas, Detroit, Mich. High jump—Lawrence Mitchell, Kinsella. Girls' bicycle race—Mary Jackawick, Kinsella. Boys' bicycle race—Clifford Bawden, Kinsella. Tug of war—single men. Musical chairs with horses—Ken. McMurray, Kinsella. Hardball—Irma vs. Oriskany. Tie. Bucking horse—D. McElroy riding Arkinstall's horse, Kinsella. Stow car race—M. Hajek, Kinsella.

Mrs. J. S. Smith spent last weekend in Edmonton.

Mrs. J. Elliott of Edmonton has been visiting with her mother, Mrs. J. L. Scott.

Word has been received that Miss K. Ferries arrived in England and is enjoying her visit there.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Bilo, Mary and Mike are enjoying a holiday week end in Edmonton.

Miss F. Stronach, Mr. J. Kapler, Lyle Smart and Donald Witten motored to Edmonton on Sunday.

SASK. ROADS MINISTER LOSES TO C.C.F. MAN

Humboldt, Sask., Aug. 5.—Joseph Burton, Co-operative Commonwealth Federation candidate, was elected in the Humboldt provincial by-election Thursday, defeating his lone opponent, Hon. C. M. Dunn, minister of highways and transportation, by 145 votes.

Mrs. Dunn, defeated in the June 3 provincial general election in Melville, sought return to the legislature in the seat vacated by Dr. J. C. Kins, who defeated Burton and A. Lins, Social Credit, in the general election.

With all polls reported the vote was:
Dunn, Liberal 3,768
Burton, C. C. F. 3,908

"PORTS OF CALL"

Attention is again directed to the inauguration of the Alberta Radio Pool radio program at 7.30 next Sunday evening. This program is known as "Ports of Call," written, produced and acted by the best radio talent in Hollywood, augmented by a full concert orchestra. Each program dramatizes a different country—its history, personalities, current events, with the background of the music of that country.

Listeners are requested to tune their radios to CPAC Calgary, or CJCA Edmonton, at 7.30 next Sunday evening.

"We have enough troubles of our own in Canada without seeking to settle those of other countries."—Rocj Pinard.

Lightning Plays Havoc In Sedgewick Farm House

(Sedgewick Press)

In a few short seconds after lightning struck their home, about seven miles north-east of Sedgewick, on Sunday night, July 31, the farm home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Hopkins had the appearance of a shambles, and it is indeed miraculous that both Mr. and Mrs. Hopkins were not instantly killed. Had it not been for the fact that their small child, about three and a half years old, had been left at the home of Mr. Hopkins' parents for the night, there is no doubt that the little one would have perished, as the bolts of lightning tore a large hole right through the mattress and springs of its little bed. Mr. and Mrs. Hopkins had prepared, on Sunday evening to take a trip to Edmonton early the following morning, and had therefore arranged for the grandparents of the child to take care of it until their return. Of course the disaster to their home caused them to postpone their anticipated trip to the city.

That lightning plays curious freaks is attested by the following facts which were related by Mr. Hopkins on the day following the electric storm:

The bolt of lightning entered the house via the telephone wire, actually melting the inside of the phone wire for a distance of 40 feet from the house; tore the telephone off the wall, completely wrecked and burned out the radio; knocked the kitchen stove to pieces, scattering the lids and stove pipes about the kitchen; drove a broom through the back of the stove; broke every window in the house and tore a hole in the wall of the room as it escaped to the outside.

Upon hearing the terrific thunder and noticing the severe lightning, Mr. Hopkins had got out of bed to shut the door in another room, when his face was slightly burned by the lightning and upon re-entering the bedroom he found that Mrs. Hopkins had been knocked out of bed but had not been rendered unconscious in the least.

No fire to the premises resulted from the blast which threatened but which miraculously spared the lives of the occupants as well as the house itself.

APPOINT SUPERINTENDENT OF HOLDEN SCHOOL DIVISION

The new superintendent of the Holden School Division No. 17, will be Mr. J. E. McLean, of Bellevue, Alberta, having received the appointment last week from the minister of Education. According to press reports he has had a long experience both as a public and high school teacher. He was graduated from the Calgary normal school in 1917 and later held positions as principle of schools at Penhold, Veteran and Aliz. For the last 12 years he has served with success as principle of the Bellevue high school, in the Crow's Nest Pass. He is a graduate of the U. of A., holding a degree of bachelor of arts. He is continuing post graduate work in education leading to the master of arts degree.

World of Sport

By H. B. C.

Group games of youngsters are advocated by all who are interested in the welfare of youth. However there is a limit you will admit! While playing near the lumber yard a gang of small boys discovered a nest of eggs. They proved to be very ripe, ancient and smelly. Somehow that suited the boys. For battle they divided into two groups, and took up positions accordingly. The "bombs" were really not dangerous even though they exploded with a gratifying "pop". But oh, what carnage! When the battle ceased for want of ammunition the scene was beyond description. The walls of one or two of the boys indicated they were on the losing side of the terrible war. And they probably lost again when they reached home with the marks of battle so perceptible to poor mother.

The broadcast of the finals in the tennis doubles in Toronto last Saturday proved very interesting to many local fans. The sound of the balls being hit came over the air clearly and added somewhat to the running description of the lively game. The American team of Parker and Allison won over our Canadian representatives of Murray and Watt. Our boys seemed at times to be doing remarkably well, but could not maintain the pace.

A surprise in baseball came on Monday with the announcement that the manager of the Detroit Tigers, Mickey Cochrane, had been displaced by Baker. Cochrane pulled down the fifty salary of \$45,000, showing that he was highly rated. Still the team this year is not doing very well. So the millionaire Briggs, as owner, decided to change pilots in the hope that results would also be different. When I saw Cochrane in Detroit two years ago, I was greatly impressed by the great catcher-manager, who produced for the crowd of fans the pep that calls for thunderous roars of approval.

The American League is considered the best of the baseball leagues and the Seven Dwarfs. The Yankees as Snow White do the leading, while the dwarfs trail along. They are: Cleveland Indians, "Happy"; Boston Red Sox, "Dopey"; Washington Senators, "Sleepy"; Chicago White Sox, "Stumpy"; Philadelphia Athletics, "Doc"; and St. Louis Browns, "Bashful". The reason for each name is given, that of the Browns being very appropriate "because they are afraid to come out of the basement."

W. C. T. U. NOTES

Discussion of the question, "Shall we drift into War, or work for Peace?" was the feature of the recent W. C. T. U. meeting.

Mrs. Coffin, local superintendent of International affairs, read articles 1 and 2 of the famed Kellogg Peace Pact, together with citing several instances wherein action taken by one or more leading nations among the 61 that became signatories to the Pact led to peaceable settlement of difficulties between different countries that were on the point of war.

Mrs. Locke read a series of articles revealing certain data that led to the conclusion that financial profit had been the underlying motive which had had results in many of the most sanguinary conflicts between peoples the world has ever witnessed.

Mrs. Parke gave a brief review of a book compiled as recently as last year which showed the geographical distribution of "natural resources" with its inevitable national values and their effect on world relations, commerce and monetary power.

Many of the various organizations, which, though with otherwise more or less divergent aims, are now making an effort toward World Peace, are now studying this book, the author of which pleads for the establishment of a mobilized peace sentiment before a gigantic slaughter house of war sentiment shall be mobilized.

Taken altogether it was quite an inspirational meeting of high character, not the least feature of which was the fitting prayer that Mrs. Oettinger gave at the opening, nor omitting her refreshing fruit drink at the close.

"Women in Canada should have something to say in whatever concerned the education of children. The mother is the educator in the home and her interests do not cease when the child goes to school."—Jean Chas. Harvey

Premier King Completes 19th Year As Leader

Ottawa, Aug. 8.—Prime Minister Mackenzie King will complete his 19th year as leader of the Liberal party tomorrow, a record believed unequalled by any other living political leader.

On August 7, 1919, a national Liberal convention in Ottawa selected Mr. King, then 41 years old, as the successor of Sir Wilfrid Laurier who had headed the party for more than 25 years. In his 19 years of leadership Mr. King has been Prime Minister for 11 years and leader of the opposition for the other eight.

No other present political leader in the world, it is believed, has headed the same party for such a length of time.

Mr. King is now 63 years old and is enjoying excellent health despite the fact he has just come through a long and strenuous session of parliament.

When the present Prime Minister assumed the Liberal leadership the late Sir Robert Borden headed the Conservative party.

Bank of Montreal Crop Report Number 8

General—High temperatures without needed general rains in the prairie provinces have lowered crop prospects over much of Saskatchewan and parts of Alberta although weather conditions have retarded the development of rust infestation prevalent in Manitoba and eastern Saskatchewan. Crops are ripening rapidly, cutting has commenced and harvesting should be general about the middle of August. Rain would be beneficial to late sown crops and pastures. Grasshopper damage continues, particularly in Saskatchewan and aggregate losses will be heavy in the areas affected. Hail has caused further severe damage in many local areas. In Quebec ideal growing conditions have prevailed, crops in general are in good condition and in many cases the prospects are excellent. In Ontario frequent showers and warm weather have been beneficial to corn, roots and pastures, while harvesting of wheat is well advanced and generally prospective yields and quality continue above average. In Prince Edward Island ideal growing conditions have prevailed while in New Brunswick and Nova Scotia rains during the past week added to the previous heavy precipitation have had an adverse effect on all crops. In British Columbia the recent hot dry weather has moderated during the past week, with heavy showers in the Kootenay district. The grain harvest will be light, but prospects for other crops are good.

Alberta—Crops have deteriorated from heat and drought, but conditions generally continue satisfactory, except in the north-west and south-east where yields will be light. Wheat cutting has commenced in scattered areas and will be fairly general by August 15. A very early start has occurred in the west-central area. The sugar beet crop is satisfactory.

HAIL IN ALBERTA

During the current crop season Alberta has fully maintained its reputation as the worst province for hail in the entire world. Several devastating hail storms have occurred in widely separated areas, and approximately 500,000 acres of growing wheat have been destroyed this season. The worst damage has been sustained by a section of land lying between Olds and Innisfail on the west and Drumheller on the east. Some crops in that region have been hail-swept three times during the summer.

Hail has been experienced in the Peace River district this season and also in an area west of Lethbridge. It is seldom that the Peace River district gets really bad hail storms. Hail occurs almost exclusively in connection with thunder storms. A distinguishing feature is that it consists partly of ice and partly of snow. Large hailstones frequently show several alternate layers. The peculiar structure is explained by the fact that hail is formed in the turbulent region at the front of a thunder storm, or it makes several journeys up and down between relatively cold and warm regions of the atmosphere before finally falling to earth. At high levels the incipient hailstone is coated with snow and at lower levels with rain, which changes to ice as the stone is again carried aloft.

"Is Jones musical?"
"I should say he is, When he's out, he blows his own horn and at home he plays second fiddle."

GRAIN MEN WISH GOVERNMENT ABLE FIX HIGHER PRICE

In an interview relating to the guaranteed-minimum price of 80c for wheat announced by the Dominion Government, C. E. Hayles, president of the North-West Grain Dealers' Association, said:

"The members of the North-West Grain Dealers' Association are pleased to note that the Dominion Government has recognized the principle that, in the face of adverse international and national conditions, the economic position of the Western farmer is entitled to federal support, even at the risk of loss to the Dominion treasury.

We wish, however, that the Dominion Government had been able to guarantee a higher price."

Initial Payment Fixed

On Thursday afternoon the federal government announced that the Wheat Board would make an initial payment on deliveries this season of 80c for wheat, basis One Northern, Fort William. In this connection Lew Hutchinson, chairman of the board of directors of the Alberta Wheat Pool, issued the following statement:

"The Wheat Pools asked for an initial payment of 87½c per bushel, basis One Northern on wheat delivered to the Wheat Board. The federal government has announced that the payment will be 80c.

"The average net price to the producer, when costs of handling, freight and the discounts for lower grades are considered, will be around 58c a bushel. No one can consider that a high price.

"I do think, though, that if there were no Wheat Board and the market had to function by itself this season a disastrous price situation might develop. I think the events of this year have justified the Wheat Pools in their persistent efforts over several years, first, to have a Wheat Board formed, and second to have an initial price fixed independent of market fluctuations.

"I realize that the federal government has the interests of the entire dominion to consider in making a decision of this nature. But I feel that the Wheat Pools were not unreasonable in their request for an 87½c initial price.

"We were alarmed at earlier suggestions of a very low initial payment and feel relieved that the federal government realized the welfare of the western farmer was of sufficient importance to the economy of all Canada that they at least approached the figure we asked for."

"Canada's crying need today is for unity, for all men who believe in the fundamental principles of the Magna Charta to join hands in a common effort for the maintenance of a united and democratic federation of Canada."—J. Earl Lawson.

The World of Wheat

By H. G. L. STRANGERS

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Popular Delusions and Amazing Absurdities! Such are the extraordinary beliefs that the student of history finds have been held by large numbers of people at various times throughout the ages.

In Canada, for instance, only a short time ago, it was seriously contended "That the climate over the prairies had changed, that the desert was marching northward, that the drought was permanent, and that never again could we expect normal rainfall." Another statement was: "That even though it rained the land would not produce good crops as it had done in the past, because farmers stupidly had robbed the soil of fertility and fibre."

Yet last autumn, once again normal rainfall occurred, and once large parts of the west, particularly in the drought areas, abundant rains have fallen so far during this growing season.

In addition, the soil in the drought areas, that many said had lost its fertility and fibre, is again growing a splendid wheat crop.

The truth is, that over a term of years climate does not seem to change and that given normal rainfall average yields will certainly be produced. Also it seems that prophecies about rainfall and yields are misleading, futile, and vain.

TRACK AND FIELD MEET

The 1938 provincial track and field meet of the Alberta Branch of the Women's Amateur Athletic Federation of Canada will be held under the auspices of the Edmonton Ladies' Athletic Club on Labor Day, to take place in Edmonton's new \$50,000 stadium.

Particulars of the meet and entry forms can be obtained from Miss Joan Lawrence, secretary, 5911, 104 avenue, Edmonton.



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The Fight Goes On

Western farmers must persist in their fight for a greater degree of price security in the marketing of their main product—wheat.

To continue the fight for just and equitable treatment a strong concentration of effort is required.

The natural focal point for such an effort is the Wheat Pool movement.

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A Definite Program Needed

With the return to more nearly normal climatic conditions resulting, in Western Canada at least, in larger returns from agricultural operations the time seems to have arrived when greater consideration will have to be given to a national policy which will ensure a better balance in the future between the industrial and agricultural life of the country, than has hitherto existed.

It can be admitted forthwith that there is nothing new in the doctrine of a better balanced economic structure. The need has been recognized and voiced on previous occasions by statesmen, economists and politicians, not only in the recent depression days, but similar statements were made as far back as ten, fifteen and twenty years.

In the past, however, such injunctions have usually been regarded more or less in the nature of an academic or textbook theory, as an ideal perhaps to be kept in mind, but without any particular pressure being brought to bear as to the necessity for shaping all governmental, private and corporate activities towards this specific end.

Towards An Objective

Now, however, that the country is presumably on the threshold of an era of rehabilitation and recovery, it would appear highly desirable that the main objective for the future development of the country and, ergo, the prosperity and happiness of her people be not lost sight of; that whatever policies are devised to assist the people and the industries of the country to re-establish themselves on a self-dependent basis, they should all lead in the one direction—a more nearly balanced economic life.

Until this is done there can be, not only no guarantee, but not even a prospect, that there will be no return of similar conditions to those from which the Dominion is now apparently emerging, at some time in the future, possibly not far distant, perhaps more remote.

In comparison with other industries it must be borne in mind that agriculture affords comparatively little employment and while the farmer is producing, under normal conditions, huge quantities of foodstuffs, the industry itself makes almost no provision for workers to consume its products.

It is therefore essential that other industries giving employment to a relatively large number of workers exist side by side with agriculture in order to ensure consumption locally of a larger percentage of the commodities produced by agriculture, if the latter industry is to prosper. The only alternative for an industry dependent upon remote markets of world-competitive character for the sale of the bulk of its products is to curtail production.

Now, while curtailment of production may, to some, appear expedient, it is a wasteful policy, difficult of attainment where output is largely dependent upon the vagaries of seasonal climatic conditions and above all, history has yet to record success in this field of experimentation. In other words, it is not the road to prosperity.

This being the case, the objective of those who have the welfare of the country at heart should be measures which will ensure greater consumption of the output of agriculture as close as possible to the site of production.

A Combined Aid

So far as Western Canada is concerned there are many ways in which this may be achieved, no one of them in itself a complete solution of the problem, but a combination of them, with each pressed to its ultimate possibility, should go far towards placing agriculture on a more permanent and prosperous basis.

The solution of the problem for western agriculture appears to lie in the direction of greater consumption at home of the products of the field and the farm. It predicated among other things greater diversification of agriculture to ensure local markets for a greater percentage of the products of the farm. It suggests local processing of more of the products of the field, thus providing for the establishment of more industries affording employment for more consumers and ensuring their ability to purchase these commodities—a natural concomitant of greater diversification.

It also indicates the necessity of more vigorous prosecution in the search for and development of the natural resources with which the west is richly endowed, again providing more sources of employment and hence of greater consumptive ability.

As a further measure to this end there is ample scope for research work into the possibilities of making greater use of agricultural products as raw materials in manufacturing processes, which in turn would open wide opportunities for diversification in agriculture and create more industries, hence, increase consumptive demands.

There are also possibilities in the further development of by-products from grains and other agricultural commodities now grown more or less extensively on Western Canadian farms, and with further research and experimentation some of these by-products could be made a commercial feasibility. There are in the western cities chemical and laboratory experts who have done some work along these lines who are in entire accord with this statement.

A More Enduring Basis

These are only some of the possibilities which, if they were co-ordinated under some general national program, would go far towards re-establishment of the agricultural industry on a more certain basis than it has been in the past and which would go a long way towards softening the blow of future depressed conditions.

Such policies pressed to an ultimate and logical conclusion with whole-hearted co-operation between all who are concerned with the future of the country would do much to promote prosperity and contentment and many of the "lams" with which the people have recently been afflicted would vanish into thin air.

International Exhibitions

An international agreement controls international exhibitions, and stipulates that they can only occur every six years. The next international exhibition cannot take place until 1941 under this agreement.

A "glass train" exhibited in London has two passenger coaches with walls, ceiling and floorings made of glass, and 100,000 tiny mirrors covering the exterior.

I always wanted to be a blacksmith—it is a man's job, said Stanley Baldwin.

England Is Air Target

Sir Samuel Hoare warned London would be a prime target for enemy attacks in the event of war and urged adoption of all necessary anti-aircraft defence measures. The home secretary told the London air raid precautions committee the danger of fires during an air raid was great.

Weighing 42 pounds, the world's largest sapphire is valued at \$20,000. It is a white sapphire; had it been blue, its value would have been incalculable.

The wings of queen ants are broken off after their nuptial flight.

Speed Of Fish

Can Reach A Speed Under Water Comparable With Land Animals

One reason why fish can reach a high speed for a comparatively small expenditure of energy is due to a little-known perfection of their make-up which was not fully understood until a few years ago. It was found that quite small fish, when held with their heads immersed in water, they squirted through the gills a jet of water which rose several feet in the air.

A realization of what these jets meant came about in the following manner. A device, which claimed to reduce greatly the obstacles to the passage of a ship through the water, was invented by an American engineer. The invention was called an "induced stream-line system," and its main feature was the ejection of streams of water through nozzles in such a way as to overcome friction and water resistance.

The significance of the jets of water emitted by fish was then appreciated. They have had an "induced stream-line system" since the dawn of history. It was found that of over 300 species of swift-travelling fish which were examined, over 90 per cent. possessed gill clefts at the correct position for the efficient use of jets of exhaled water.

When, in addition to this adjunct to speed, it is remembered that the body of a swift-travelling fish is perfectly stream-lined, its skin is so smooth that it offers practically no resistance to the water, and that the beautifully moulded, bullet-shaped head, with the pointed snout, is a perfected cut-water, it is not surprising that a fish can reach a speed beneath the water which compares not unfavorably with speeds reached by animals on land.

It is well known here that it is almost impossible to measure the fastest speeds of which certain fish are capable. A Mako shark, for example, has been filmed during a leap in which it put nearly 30 feet between itself and the water. What colossal speed must it have attained to hurt its 600-pound body that distance out of the water?

A swordfish once struck a wooden ship with prodigious force. Its sword pierced through the copper sheathing, an inch of the underheating and then a three-inch plank of hard wood. That was a good start, but the fish had only just started its journey of exploration.

Its sword next pierced through the 12 inches of white oak timber and a hard oak ceiling 2½ inches thick. Finally, the sword entered an oil cask and broke off, thus forming a very convenient hook.

Altogether the fish had penetrated 20 inches of timber. Judging by the material of which the sword was composed it was obvious that by no ordinary means could it have been forced through copper sheathing and nearly two feet of wood. The fact of clean penetration showed that the fish, at the moment of impact, must have been travelling at not less than 60 m.p.h.—From Discovery.

A Quaker Wedding

Quaint Ceremony Took Place In Long Island Meeting House

Down the aisle dividing the men and women in the Matinecock Meeting House in Glen Cove, L. I. marched a train: Florence Elizabeth Willis and Isaac Hicks Cocks. They sat down on a plain wooden bench facing 200 guests. For several minutes there was no sound in the ancient frame building. At length, when the spirit moved them, Florence Willis and Isaac Cocks rose and faced each other. The man took the girl's hand, declared he would take her for his wife. The girl repeated the pledge. Then they sat down. Thereupon everyone present signed a wedding certificate. Thus last week, in traditional Quaker style, Isaac Cocks and Florence Willis became man and wife. Too plain a ritual for modern brides, it was only the second wedding ceremony the little Quaker meeting house, which was founded in 1728 and today counts 175 youngsters in its congregation, had seen in 102 years.—Time.

The Greatest Men

Are Quite Often Those The World Knows Nothing Of

We heard a clergyman in London say, 44 years ago, that he had never heard of Herbert Spencer until he mentioned him, states The Argonaut, yet Mr. Spencer was living at the time less than five miles away and his works were in every London bookshop. Perhaps Sir Henry Taylor and Horace Greely were not far wrong in thinking that "the world knows nothing of its greatest men."

England has more than 35,000 dramatic societies—one for every thousand persons.

Test Smoke Screens

Defence System For London To Guard Against Air Attacks

When and if bombs start dropping in the next war, London will face a tougher problem than when the Germans raided the city from Zeppelins 20 years ago.

Officials say the defence system will have to strike a knock-out blow in the first week of war to show enemy bombers lightning attacks are too costly.

Attacking planes probably will roar only 200 feet above rooftops—safely beneath the curtain of fire of anti-aircraft artillery.

To counteract high attack and make low attack difficult the government is testing smoke screens to strengthen the balloon barrage it plans to throw around the city.

The screens would be flung up from generators placed at close intervals. A new camouflage department of the air raid precautions administration is co-operating with the Royal Air Force in camouflage tests on larger buildings.

In "A.R.P." the government has a countrywide scheme to protect civilians in bombing raids, and injured, fight gas attacks, and move non-essential members of the population to safety areas.

But wide publicity hasn't popularized "A.R.P." yet, the government intended. Lack of co-ordination has been blamed mainly for failure to get recruits for anti-gas and first aid units.

Home office drafted a broad program and left municipal authorities to work out details. Many volunteers had to wait weeks to begin training due to shortage of skilled instructors. The government now is trying to whip up fresh enthusiasm for its big defence scheme.

SELECTED RECIPES

RASPBERRY SHORTCAKE

3 cups sifted Swans Down Cake Flour
3 tablespoons Calumet Baking Powder

1 teaspoon salt
1 cup butter or other shortening
1 cup milk

Sift flour once, measure, add baking powder and salt, and sift again. Cut in shortening. Add milk all at once and knead until all flour is dampened. Then stir vigorously until mixture forms a soft dough.

Roll on floured surface to 1/8 inch thick. Cut in half. Fit one half into well-greased 8 x 8 x 2-inch pan. Brush with butter and sugar. Sprinkle with dough into pan. Brush with melted butter. Bake in hot oven (450 degrees F.) 15 to 20 minutes, or until done.

To serve, separate halves, spread bottom half with soft butter and part of raspberry sauce and spread with butter and remaining raspberries. Garnish with whipped cream and whole berries. Serve 8 to 10. Strawberries may also be used.

TEA SUFFINS

1½ cups sifted Swans Down Cake Flour

1½ tablespoons Calumet Baking Powder
1 teaspoon salt
4 tablespoons butter or other shortening
4 tablespoons sugar
1 egg, well beaten
1 cup milk

Sift flour once, measure, add baking powder and salt, and sift again. Cream butter, add sugar and cream thoroughly; then add egg and beat well. Add flour, alternately with milk, a little at a time, beating only until smooth after each addition. Bake in greased small muffin pans in hot oven (425 degrees F.) 20 minutes. Makes 12.

Golden Fleece

Australia To Erect Bronze Statue To Merino Ram

Australia is to honor the sources of its golden fleece by erecting a bronze statue of a Merino ram on the summit of Mount Panoramia, near Bathurst, New South Wales.

The statue will be about 1½ times life size and will be designed by an official of the Sydney Technical College. Cost of the bronze will be shared by the Graziers' Association and the Sheep Breeders' Association. Wool is Australia's most valuable primary product—exports for the financial year 1936-37 totalling \$62,504,567 (about \$250,000,000).

Not Eligible

A league for the protection of hen-pecked husbands was formed in a small northern town, and at the first meeting a man named George was elected president.

George had just taken the chair and handed the table for order when a tall, gaunt, stern-looking woman burst into the hall, rushed at George and seized him by the collar.

"You come home!" she shouted, shaking him. "What business have you in a place like this? You are not suspected!"

Discovery Of New Star

Believed By Scientists To Be Hotter Than The Sun

Discovery of what may prove to be the hottest, densest, and at its maximum the brightest object ever known to mankind was pictured to natural scientists in convention at San Diego.

It is a star weighing about 5,000,000 tons to the cubic inch. Only 60 miles in diameter, it glows 400,000 times as bright as the sun at its zenith.

Prof. Fritz Zwicky suggested it may prove to be one of the most far-reaching proofs of Einstein's theory of general relativity. He described it to the annual convention of the Pacific division of the American Association for the Advancement of Science.

This super nova (a "suicide star") was discovered last August at the new Palomar Observatory, which is to house the world's largest telescope.

At its maximum it was the brightest object ever observed, 400,000,000 times as bright as the sun. Now it is a million times as bright as the sun, but has shrunk from the size of the sun to a collapsed neutron star only 60 miles in diameter. Its surface temperature, Professor Zwicky believes, may be at least several hundred thousand degrees.

Another Theory

Doctors Now Conclude Worry Will Cause Decay In Teeth

After careful study, Drs. A. L. Winsor and Barney Korchin, of Cornell University, have arrived at the conclusion that worry is one of the important causes of bad teeth.

It's all quite simple too once you accept the premises and get the explanation.

Acid saliva is hard on enamel (that's orthodoxy). Saliva is naturally acid (that's more or less heresy).

When one worries or is angry, the mouth becomes dry. This signifies that the saliva flow has been cut down. And with the lessening of the flow, the acid content increases. And with the increase of the acid content the little imp which are responsible for caries (decay) get busy.

And soon the black spots on your molars are as numerous as the black spots before your eyes after a night with a sick friend.

Obviously the cure is to keep your temper and cultivate a placid and contented state of mind.

This theory seems simple but is as easy to follow as the Golden Rule.

Merely being addressed periodically as "my friends" doesn't help much either.

Street Parking Forbidden

Cars Not Allowed On Quebec City Streets Overnight

Going their rounds, Quebec police are carrying bundles of small rectangular cards notifying motorists that overnight parking on the city's narrow streets has been prohibited.

The pasteboards which the constables place on every parked automobile read:


"Welcome to Quebec. Owing to heavy traffic in our narrow streets, for your own protection against damage to yourself and to facilitate circulation to the fire department, overnight parking is forbidden.

"Hoping that you will enjoy your visit in our city, we remain,

Police Headquarters."

In France all Customs notices appear normally in other languages than French will in future be also in Esperanto.

At a recent international dog show held in England there were 92 breeds displayed.



I sweeten my morning cereal with BEEHIVE Syrup because it is better for me.

TRY IT TOMORROW

Flies Are A Menace

To Every Community

Take Precautions To Protect Children From Summer Epidemics

Here is something for every mother to ponder over. According to a leading recognized medical authority, diarrhoea and enteritis (which are synonymous with summer diarrhoea) was the first cause of deaths among children, from the second to the twelfth month of life, in Canada during the period 1925 to 1929.

It is acknowledged in medical and scientific circles that common house flies harbor germs in, and on, their bodies and may, therefore, introduce infections into foods on which they crawl.

How important it is, then, to protect milk and other liquids, feeding bottles and other receptacles from these filthy pests that threaten the lives of children with typhoid, diarrhoea and other dangerous diseases.

The dirtier the surroundings, the more flies will swarm and multiply in their thousands. Out-of-doors breeding spots such as uncovered garbage should be tightly covered: all refuse, manure, rotting matter, etc., should be cleaned up; all food and drink should be protected with coverings, and windows and doors carefully screened. If, however, with these precautions taken, flies should still refuse to leave your house, a few Wilson's Fly Pads, placed around the house in convenient places, will soon kill them all. And, if the pads are kept in place during fly-time, they'll go a long way towards protecting your children from summer epidemics and your family and yourself from the dangers and irritation that are caused by flies.

Could Challenge World

English Authority On Music Finds Unusual Talent In Canada

Musically Canada can challenge the world. This from no less an authority than Dr. Harold Drake, organist, St. Michael's, Cornhill, England, who has just completed a tour through America, and who has been examining for the Associated Board of Royal School of Music. "I have come into contact with a great many music people on this tour," said Dr. Drake, "and I find very fine talent in Canada, indeed as fine as in any part of the world." Dr. Drake has returned to England.

At Bakersfield in California is an oil well 15,004 feet, or nearly three miles deep. Oil is now flowing from the well, which is the deepest in the world, at the rate of 2,800 barrels, 117,600 gallons, a day.

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WHAT HO!

—By—
RICHARD CONNELL

By Arrangement With Thomas Allen, Publisher, Toronto.

CHAPTER XVI

Fog, like a gray blanket, pressed down on the sprawling city. It was a "London particular," damp as a Marmalade's kiss, and so thick and palpable it could almost have been molded into fog-balls. Veteran policemen lost their way and taxi-cabs crept along on hands and knees.

Lady Rosa Bingley groped her way to that strip of pavement along London River where the roofless and hungry rest awhile before they are moved on by the police or some higher force.

To find any man in that fog was a feat comparable to finding a midge in the steam-room of a Turkish bath. Lady Rosa collided with a mound of muscle, which groined in a gin-toughened voice.

"Can't see where yer goin'?" "No," said Lady Rosa. "There's more light in Leicester Square," said the man.

"Thanks," said Rosa, and pushed on.

The benches along the Embankment did not hold their usual complement of unfortunates that night.

Before one bench Rosa stopped. It was occupied by an old man, who looked like a bleary, sodden Santa Claus.

"I'm looking for a young man—"

"Won't an old one do?" he asked and showed snaggle-teeth in a vicious grin.

"I'm afraid not," she said. "The young man has a dark blue overcoat and an old grey hat."

"I did see a chap dressed like that an hour ago," the old man said.

"Where did he go?"

"Into the fog."

"Which way?"

"I forget."

She dropped a shilling in his horny palm. He clutched it, and with a "Thanks, lady," got up and melted into the fog.

She moved along the line of benches. When she saw the dim outline of a figure on one of them in the muffled lamplight, she would draw closer and call "Ernest! Ernest!"

A Reginald responded, and an Alf and a Kenneth, but not Ernest.

It was slow going, slow, and chilly, and discouraging but she kept on.

After a fruitless half-mile, worn out, she sat down on a bench. Peering about her she saw that on the next bench somebody had left a package, a very large package, large enough to be the laundry of Gog and Magog. It was shapeless, and wrapped with soggy newspapers. Lady Rosa reached out an exploratory finger and touched it.

From inside the package a tired voice came.

"All right, officer. I'll move on."

"Ernest!" cried Rosa. "Ernest!"

"Who knows me around here?" asked the half-awake voice of Ernest Bingley.

"Ernest—It's Rosa."

He broke out of his cocoon, and saw her face, close to his.

"Go away! Seat!" he said.

"Oh, Ernest, what have I done?"

"Are you really real?" he faltered.

"Pinch me."

She held out her arm. He pinched it. She yelped.

"It is you," he said. "It is really you."

"Pinch me again if you doubt it."

"Oh, Rosa, what are you doing here?"

"Looking for you."

"Well," he said, "you've found me."

"That's what you think."

"Listen to me, Rosa. I'm not rich."

"Yes, Ernest, I've found you." She sat beside him on the bench. "Your teeth are chattering," she said.

"So are yours."

"Let 'em chatter."

"You'd better go some place where it's warm," he said.

"That's an idea. Let's go."

"Not me, Rosa."

"Why not?"

"We said 'good-bye once,' Ernest said. 'Let's not go through it again.'"

"You can't stay here. You'll catch cold."

"I've already caught one," said Ernest, and sneezed. "Please go, Rosa."

"I will not," she said, firmly.

"Well, a cop will move you along shortly," said Ernest. "He's about due. He's moved me twice already."

"Ernest Bingley, what are you doing here?"

"Waiting for a boat."

"Be serious. I am."

"So am I," said Ernest. "My boat does not sail till day after tomorrow."

"You might have chosen a more comfortable spot to wait," Rosa said. "I repeat my question—why are you here?"

"Just an adventure," said Ernest. "I'm seeing London night-life. I've read about this place, and I've always wanted to spend a night here to see what it would be like to be down and out. It's good for a fellow in my position to see how the other half lives now and then."

"What would Miss Rowena Castle think of such behavior?"

"Miss who?"

"That's my fiancée," Rosa reminded him.

"Oh, you mean Rowena," said Ernest. "Why shouldn't I?"

"She's a student of sociology. We often sit in Battery Park or Bryant Park in New York and study life."

"I thought she lives in Chicago."

"She does. But she often flies her plane to New York."

"Does her father own all the hotels in New York?"

"No. Only four. Two little ones and two big ones."

"Do you believe it is wicked to tell lies, Ernest?"

"Of course I do."

"Then why tell 'em?"

"Don't you believe her father owns all these hotels?"

"I don't even believe that there is such a person as Rowena Castle."

"But you saw her picture," said Ernest, and sneezed.

"I saw a picture of Lucy Bingley," said Rosa.

Ernest began to tear up his paper swaddling-clothes with agitated fingers.

"I had to do it, Rosa," he said.

"Why?"

"It's a long story—he began.

"We have all night."

"I've caught me. Yours. Go on."

"You see, it's like this—Ernest began again.

"The perfect prelude to a whopper," said Rosa. "But do carry on, Ernest."

"I'm a busy man," said Ernest. "Many interests. Mergers and amalgamations and reorganizations and—well, lots of things that take up my time and attention. Being a bachelor, I can devote all my time to my affairs. If I were married, well, it would take up too much of my time—"

"It might. Carry on."

"So," said Ernest, continuing to reduce the newspaper to scraps, "I invented Rowena Castle. You see, mothers of debutantes were always angling to make a match between me and their daughters—"

"Quite the catch, aren't you?"

"Oh, it's not me," said Ernest. "It's my fortune."

"I take it that you do not believe that in these hard days there's any such thing as a pure, unselfish love," Rosa said.

"Oh, but I do," cried Ernest. "I'm sure there is."

"Suppose you were to find a girl who loved you and was willing to marry you if you didn't have a penny to your name, what would you do, Ernest?"

"I'd grab her," said Ernest. "But where am I apt to find such a girl?"

"On a bench in the fog."

"You don't mean you!" exclaimed Ernest.

"I mean me."

"Oh, Rosa."

He sneezed and kept his hands in his pocket.

"Come on," she said. "Grab!"

"No," said Ernest.

"Of course, if you don't love me—"

"Rosa, I love you so much I could die. If you asked me to I'd tear my heart right out and throw it into the river there."

"Don't do that, Ernest," she said, softly. "Give it to me."

"Stop. Please. Go away. Let me alone," cried Ernest, wretchedly. "I've deceived you."

"That's what you think."

"Listen to me, Rosa. I'm not rich."

I'm not anybody. I'm nothing but a nothing. I'm only—"

"The village canary stuffer with-out a shop to stuff in," she finished.

"Who told you?" gasped Ernest.

"Does it matter? Do you think I care how poor you are in money when you're so rich in kindness and courage? Besides, you're not poor."

"Oh, yes I am," said Ernest. "I haven't enough for a bed. Just some coppers for food till my boat sails."

"And a twenty thousand pound interest in a castle."

"That was a gift."

"As if Father would take it as a gift. He's a Bingley, too, you know. Let me see now—the interest—on twenty thousand at four per cent—is—"

"Rosa!"

"Yes, Ernest?"

"Do you like dogs?"

"Love 'em."

"Cats?"

"Adore 'em."

"Gold fish?"

"My favorite fish."

"Guided pigs?"

"Mad about the little darlings."

"Is there a pet shop in Bristol?"

"Not a good one."

"There's going to be."

"Yours?"

"Ours."

A hulk of a constable loomed in the fog and advanced slowly toward them.

"Rosa, darling?"

"What, dearest?"

"I love you," said Ernest. "Get ready?"

"What for?"

"I'm going to grab."

He grabbed.

"Er, ere now, you two, none of that now," said Police Constable X6757, playing his flashlight on the bench. "This 'ere ain't no blinkin' Garden of Eden, you know."

"That's what you think," said two voices as one.

The End.

Work Was Outstanding

W. J. Sisler Taught English To New Canadians In Winnipeg

W. J. Sisler, who taught hundreds of New Canadians the English language, has retired as principal of Isaac Newton High School, Winnipeg, after 34 years' service.

When Mr. Sisler, who went to Winnipeg from Scott Township, York Co., in 1905, began teaching in a North Winnipeg school, his pupils were almost all immigrant children who knew no English. He evolved a system to meet the challenge, and today regards the friendship of foreign countries with whom he freely mingled a fitting reward for his efforts.

The fitting system is now in general use in Manitoba, and he received handsome royalties for his book on the system.

"I could have left the district," Mr. Sisler said, "but the people and their problems became my prime interest. Most of our own people at the time did not understand them. I liked them and tried to help them."

Explaining his teaching system, he said: "The children were not given plain language lessons. They were encouraged to talk about things they knew and saw. Details of their everyday life formed the basis of the plan."

Sisler trained 200 teachers in the system and conducted a night school for pupils above school age.

Birthplace Of Thomas Hardy

Famous English Author Did Not Wish It To Become A Show Place

Bockhampton Farm, birthplace of the late Thomas Hardy, the author, has been sold to P. F. Parsons, an income tax official tenant of the farm for the past 13 years.

It was in the thatched cottage of the farm, situated in the rustic beauty of Dorchester, that Hardy spent the happiest days of his life and wrote "Far From the Madding Crowd," and "Under the Greenwood Tree." A granite memorial column was erected near the cottage in 1931 by American admirers.

It was Hardy's dying wish that the farm should not become a show place for tourists. He requested that as long as his heirs controlled the estate, the cottage would be maintained just as if he were still alive.

"I would prefer an ordinary local laborer living in it," he said, "paying a few shillings a week, taken no particular notice of by anyone, certainly not by sightseeing tourists."

Statistics of the book-selling trade in Germany reveal the remarkable fact that the book with the biggest sale in Germany last year was the Bible. The three big concerns distributing Bibles sold over a million copies, 1,650,000 more than in 1938.

Carrots have been under domestic cultivation since the dawn of history. It once was the fashion for ladies to wear carrot leaves in their hats at balls and banquets.

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Charles Dickens' Letters

Famous Novelist Had A Very Poor Opinion Of Governments

More than 1,000 letters by Charles Dickens, including an outburst against the Morning Chronicle for which he was worked, were placed on sale in London recently.

The sale brought \$3,887 (\$18,435). A series of letters to Thomas Bead, parliamentary editor of the Chronicle when Dickens was a press gallery reporter, were bought by Messrs. Clements for \$800.

A letter to Sir Joseph Paxton brought \$9 10s. (\$47.50).

Among the collection, taken from the famous library of the Comte de Suzanpet of Lausanne, is a series of 175 letters written by the author to Thomas Bead, parliamentary editor of the Chronicle when Dickens was a press gallery reporter.

Dickens appears to have formed a low opinion of parliament. In a letter to Dr. Southwood Smith on social reform, he wrote:

"I greatly fear that until governments are honest, and parliament pure, and great men less considered and small men more so, it is almost a cruelty to limit even the dreadful hours and ways of labor that at this time prevail. Want is so general, distress so great, and poverty so rampant."

To Sir Joseph Paxton he wrote: "The House of Commons seems to me to be getting worse every day. I solemnly declare to you that directly against my will I have come to the conclusion that representative government is a miserable failure among us."

An Interesting Fact

Languages And Dialects Spoken In Canada Number 110

French and English are the official languages of Canada, but there are 110 languages and dialects spoken in the Dominion, according to Rev. J. S. Harrington, Toronto, district secretary of the British and Foreign Bible Society, who returned to Canada aboard the liner Montclair after attending a London meeting of the society.

"At a glance one might say there were only four languages spoken in our country," Mr. Harrington told reporters. "English, French, Eskimo and Indian, but the Eskimo alone accounts for about six translations, various Indian dialects for another dozen or so and the potpourri of the Dominion's immigrants build the total up to 110."

Sell War Supplies

United States Does Big Trade With China And Japan

United States firms sold Japan and China more than \$20,000,000 worth of war supplies during their first year of conflict. State department figures showed that China bought \$12,559,741 and Japan \$7,644,413.

Japanese purchases, however, have increased at a much more rapid rate, with the result that in the last six months Japan has become a bigger buyer by several hundred thousand dollars.

War supplies sent to both belligerents were principally aeroplanes, motors and accessories. Most shipments to China were licensed for Hong Kong, British port, through which they go into the interior.

A bewildered lady, lost in the caverns of the Waldorf-Astoria, appealed to a nearby lackey to direct her to the main dining room. "Beg pardon, Ma'am," came the gentle but reproving answer, "but we have three main dining rooms."

One, Two Or Three

A musician in a London restaurant plays what is thought to be the only brass violin in the world. The instrument was made from empty French shell-cases.

Bees showed the Indians where to get wax for sealing the seams of canoes. The red men observed the bees sealing their hives with wax from balsam poplar buds.

Heat Exhaustion

Use Of Common Salt Of Benefit To Those Who Work In High Temperatures

The severe muscle cramps occurring among workers exposed to unusually high temperatures, are common among steel workers, miners, foundry men and ship dockers. They are sometimes called "heat cramps" or "miner's cramps". While the existence of these muscular pains had long been known to occur it was left for J. S. Haldane, the eminent English physiologist, to suggest that this condition was caused by the loss of salt in the process of sweating. Another Englishman, K. N. Moss, had previously pointed out that sailors voluntarily ate more salty food during extreme hot weather.

Most people are aware of the symptoms of heat exhaustion. There is general depression, headache, dizziness, nausea, diarrhoea and stomach distress. In the severe forms muscle cramps occur as well. As a result of Haldane's suggestion, a group of mine workers was induced to try the salty water. The results were magical. There were no further attacks of cramps and much less complaint of fatigue than formerly. A similar experiment made in Russia showed that when salt was administered to persons working in high temperature they were less subject to fatigue and heat exhaustion.

The objection to this form of treatment is the salty taste. This has been overcome by the use of five-grain salt tablets to which, as a further improvement, five-grains of dextrose are added.

In the Journal of Industrial Hygiene for December 1931, are given some interesting data on the benefits of salt taken in tablet form by workers in a large steel plant. There were some 3,500 men at work in the plant. In the summer of 1927, heat cramps were responsible for the loss of 48 working days among this group. The use of salt was begun in the following year with the result that only nine days were lost. In 1929, the loss was but four days and in 1930 none.

The means of prevention of the ill effects of heat exhaustion are simple. Ordinarily the use of five grains of salt with each drink of water is ample. Try it!

Strawberry Not Correct

Popular Fruit Was Called Straw-berry By Anglo-Saxons

Strictly "strawberry" is a misnomer, says the Calgary Herald. It is neither a berry from the botanist's angle, nor does it gain its name from the old custom of matching between the rows with straw, customarily to keep the tips berries out of contaminating dust.

For the strawberry was esteemed long before the wild berries of meadow-lands and sunny hillsides were cultivated as a garden crop with straw strawn between the rows. To the Anglo-Saxons they were the "straw-berries", from their habit of propagation by runners straying from the parent plant. Correctly, the ancient name of the fruit which conquering Roman legions and Norman knights found ripe and luscious in English glades, persisted among the Cockney fruit-peddlers of London calling "Straw-berry" ripe; who'll buy ripe straw-berries?"

Poison Venoms

Declared To Offer New Hope For Sufferers From Certain Afflictions

The poisonous venoms of bees, scorpions, rattlesnakes, and the deadly rattlesnake and cobra were declared to offer new hope to sufferers from palsy, paralysis, spinal cord injury, paralysis, spinal cord injuries.

Use of insect and reptile poison to treat pain from cancer and other malignant diseases is not new. Dr. M. E. Greene, of New York, declared in a report to the American Association for the Advancement of Science, but method of using them to "block off" individual nerves or sets of nerves is now being successfully applied for the first time on a large scale.

The poisons are much more effective in relieving pain than opium or morphine, but heretofore they have been used primarily in making easier the last days of persons suffering from incurable diseases.

A Native Superstition

Native superstition keeps Djukia tribesmen of Dutch Guinea, South America, from spitting out any food which has been in their mouths. An evil spirit is thought to search for the food thus expectorated and place the Djukia's life in jeopardy when found.

The aircraft of the Imperial Airways and its associated companies cover nearly 28,000 miles a day.

For Your Preserving



Use It This Year

Old English Cottages

Permanent Record To Be Kept In The Form Of Models

When all the old cottages of the English countryside have made way for new ones there will at least be a permanent record of them—in the form of models—at the Geoffrey Museum, London, E.

London County Council has bought the models from J. A. Davidson, of Golders Green, son of an architect, who likes making models of such vanishing picturesque things as cottages and windmills.

They are made of cardboard and although only about five inches high, show every essential detail, tracing the development of cottages in various parts of England from 1300 until today.

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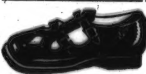
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LOCALS

Mr. S. M. Brown is away this week on his holidays.

Mr. Ben Maguire arrived home from Holden on Tuesday evening's bus.

Miss Helen Samenuk will make her seasonal visit to Irma the week of August 22nd.

Kelth Coffin returned on Sunday evening's bus from Edmonton where he spent a week holidaying.

Mrs. Rahan and son Lyle returned home the first of this week from a visit with relatives in Drumheller.

Miss Jennie Knieley left by Wednesday morning's train for Ribstone, where she will remain for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Wilbraham and family arrived home again last week-end from a restful holiday at King's Park.

Mr. Leslie Lennon arrived here last Monday evening from Courtney, Vancouver Island, to take part in the harvest operations.

Mrs. Sonett and children returned home from Montreal last Monday, where they went to see Mr. Sonett away on the boat to Europe.

Mr. and Mrs. Frickelton and children and Mr. and Mrs. M. K. McLeod returned Saturday evening from a holiday trip visiting relatives in Montana.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Enger started last Sunday afternoon on a motor trip to Indian Head, Sask., taking Mrs. R. H. Dunlop and children and Miss Mildred Jones back to their homes.

United church services will be held at Paschenedale and Crescent Hill at the usual hours on Sunday, Aug. 14. Rev. R. W. Griffith, of Jarro, will conduct the service in Irma Aug. 14 at 8 o'clock p.m.

R. S. Worthing, of Mondu, who has been spending the past two months with his daughter, Mrs. Charlie Martin, of Drumheller, has been visiting his sisters, Mrs. N. O. Parke and Mrs. C. Coffin, the past week.

The W.M.S. birthday supper is being planned for Thursday, August 18, in the basement of the church. Keep this date in mind and plan to enjoy a nice cool supper with your friends. Everybody welcome.

Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Askin are enjoying a visit this week from Mr. Askin's brother, Mr. Geo. Askin, of Arcadia, Sask. Accompanying Mr. Askin is Mrs. Askin and their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Morley, Floyd and Isabel from Regina. These visitors are going on to Red Deer to visit other relatives before returning home.

Mrs. Henderson Dickson and four children of Innisfail, Alta., arrived in Irma last Sunday morning on the flyer on her way home from a four-months' visit with her parents at Napen, N. B. Mrs. Dickson visited her cousin, Mr. Jas. Fenton, and his family while here and motored the remainder of the trip to Innisfail with her husband and his brother on Sunday evening.

Two Wainwright residents were taken to Wainwright hospital Wednesday evening, Aug. 3, following a car crash on the highway two miles east of Irma. It was reported the car driven by Mr. Joseph Richardson, railway man of Wainwright, rolled over three times, after failing to make the turn. Mr. Richardson received a shoulder dislocation and suffered shock. While Miss Helen Suter received deep cuts in both knees. Roland Prosser, a third passenger, was not seriously injured. Dr. C. Greenberg, of Irma, attended the injured.

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If for instance, the wells in Turner Valley were to run wide open, the temperature in the oil bearing rocks would rapidly decline. It is another geological fact that there is a lot of wax in Turner Valley oil. In the process of cooling it would congeal and block the tiny rock pores through which the oil oases to the foot of the well.

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Monday 34
Tuesday Nil
Wednesday Nil
Thursday Nil
Friday29
Saturday08
Sunday02
Total Rainfall to Date 8.22
Total same period last year 8.77
Ten-year Average to date 8.92